

tion of Capt. John Codman, and was burned for poisoning her master.

that they cannot understand a joke as that they are still less able to say pretty things to ladies; but a daughter of Louis XV., the Princess de Conti, inspired the Moorish Ambassador with as graceful a compliment as can be imagined. She had read against the Mo an unimpeachable polygamist, and the Moor thus defended the practice: "Madam, plural-ity of wives is allowed among us, because in our country we must seek in several women the charming qualities which a single one here to be found in one."

"There is one thing," says a correspondent, "for which Baltimore is celebrated, and that is its abundance of

the number of her beautiful women. Ladies quite as handsome as the Baltimoreans can be found in any city, but so city can boast of such a drive of elegant ladies. The favorite promenade on any pleasant afternoon is crowded with fine promenaders. Cluster after cluster, squad after squad, drift by, and the litter of the field in all their glories are not arrayed like these. The dresses are very dainty and the colors gay, the most dazzling like scores of dancers in scarlet uniforms. The complexion of the ladies is very fair, with a pink bloom peculiar to the English."

Eight members of Glanville's family are Catholics.

The Cummins movement in Episcopal ranks, seems steadily growing.

Methodist Missionary Bishop Robert of Monrovia, Africa, has gone to his reward.

Dr. Zachariah Frankel, director of the Rabbinical Seminary at Breslau, Germany, is dead.

The total number of members received into the churches of the Hawaiian Islands since their organization, is 99,273.

“The records of the Wesleyan Missionary Society, for 1874, were \$888,373. It is a mission in Europe, India, China, India and Africa.

A syllogism: David was a Jew; hence the ‘harp of David’ was a Jewish harp. Question—How did he sing his psalms and play on it at the same time?

Rev. John K. Dunn, rector of Trinity church, Lawrence, Kansas, has withdrawn from the Protestant Episcopal church and joined the Reformed Episcopal church.

“The Lord never meant for us to be over with religion in this cold weather,” said a Duluth deacon as he dismissed the congregation.

A Columbus, Ohio, book-firm sent a circular asking postmasters to send in the names of clergymen and Sunday School scholars who would act as agents for its publications. Here is one postmaster's reply: "I cannot give you a number of any Sunday School Scholars as I have none since the president of the *Day After Tomorrow* Society has been elected. I have signed the bill of Demagogues and have accepted Sunday School

and other religious feelings, and modes of worship have been blown in this direction, I will make enquiry and if you want to send anything there I will try and distribute them if I find any."

During a class-meeting held by Methodist brethren of a Southern village, brother Jones went among the congregation. Finding there a man notorious for his endeavors to serve God on the Sabbath and Sunday rest of the week, he said: "Well, brother Dick, I am glad to see you here. You attend, you purkiss, you here I saw last. Brother Dick?" "No, no, Brother Jones, no, no, no."

son, brother Dick." "No, no, Brud-
Jones; no chicken." "Thank the L-
Brother Dick! That's doing well."
brother: said Bro. Jones, leaving Bro.
Dick, who immediately relieved his over-
burdened conscience by taking to a
neighbor, with an immense sign of relief.
"If he'd a said ducks, he'd a had more."
Although it has no remarkable me-
this hymn written by Wm. Cullen Ken-
ant, for a recent New York church an-
versary, is superior to much of the jil-
ling trash which fills our average hymn
books.

As chickens, can be claud and sun,
Fall off the summer eggs.

So, in thy sight, Almighty One!
Earth's generations pass.
And while the years, an endless host,
Come pressing swiftly on,
Thy brightest angels, who can bear
Thou gladden, and are gone.
Yet thou the Star of Bethlehem said
A lustre pure and sweet:
And still it leads, as once it led,
To the Messiah's feet.

(Oh Father) may that holy Star
Lucee ever shine so bright,
And send its glorious beams afar
To all the world with light.

Dr. de Koven's brother, of Chicago gave this reply to a reporter of the Times of that city, who asked how he could receive the bad news about his son's

tion as bishop: "Oh, he doesn't much about it. He takes it quite humorously and philosophically. I think the sanguine one about it, and he has been cautioned not against being too sanguine of the result. The fact is, the position is bound to get up a big sea and its members have accomplished good deal that they wanted to do by the 'Rome'! It is a long time ago I first heard such a thing talked about, because of the doctor's High Church divinity, and I remember saying to him, 'James, I hear a good deal of talk and some church people about your sympathizing with the church of Rome.'"

laughed and said: 'Wohn, there is as much likelihood of my going over to Rome as there is of Cheney doing so. People persist in a stupid old Catholicism with a pacy, when the fact is that the meaning of the two words are antagonistic; they can well be.' "

MIXED PICKINGS AND STEALING

The vices of some men are magnified. Rates and conquerors must expect mercy in misfortune.

The greatest misfortune of all is not to be able to bear misfortune.

times sometimes shock us too much
 always almost always too little.

About the middle of May we will
 enough of the stark life of the Black

Can it be called hanging on the
 man's gutter knot when that indivi
 his daughter's been over the
 with his toe?

The Brooklyn Argus regards Full
 as "the Saladin of the bar." We
 glad to know that there is some sal
 that Brooklyn is back.

"What time is it?" asked one pa
 ger of another in a Detroit depot the
 er day. "Ten minutes to wait."

It is not so difficult a task to plant truths as to root out old errors, for in this paradox is men—they run that which is new, but are prejudiced in favor of that which is old.

A Missouri exchange informs us the steamboat Vicksburg, which was near Chester, "lays well." When young steamboats are hatched out, will take to the water as natural young ducks.

Several passengers on the lower Mississippi were attracted by the alligator barge in the squall.

It was probably an attack of the green-eyed monster, that induced the Chief Inter-Can to say that "on the day that Victoria Woodhull lectured and a can-can appeared, the common sense of Jackson, Michigan, failed to hark back to the quorum."

The other evening, when a Sixth Street father boxed his son's ears as a punishment for impudence, the lad stood up to him and remarked: "See here, father, I'm a quorum."

was reaching this morning that the
of the ear is one of the most sen-
things in the human system. A
blow upon the ear is liable to pre-
deafness, and the practice of cuffing
does cannot be too severely censured
it but a relic of that dark period
man with a wart on his nose was
death as a sorcery."